

Regional Conservation Partnership Program

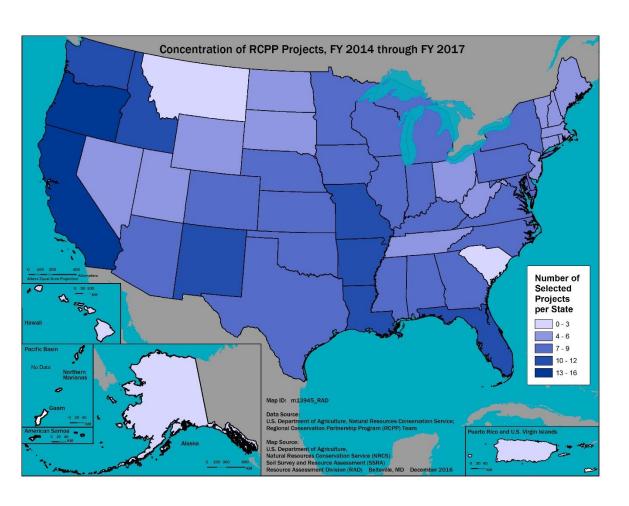
Investing in Alaska



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Created by the 2014 Farm Bill, the Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP) is a partner-driven, locally-led approach to conservation. It offers new opportunities for USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) to harness innovation, welcome new partners to the conservation mission, and demonstrates the value and efficacy of voluntary, private lands conservation.

In 2017, NRCS is investing up to \$225 million in 88 projects that impact nearly every state in the nation. Since 2014, NRCS has invested more than \$825 million in 286 high-impact projects, bringing together more than 2,000 conservation partners who have invested an additional \$1.4 billion. By 2018, NRCS and partners will have invested at least \$2.4 billion. These projects are leading to cleaner and more abundant water, better soil and air quality, enhance wildlife habitat, more resilient and productive agricultural lands and stronger rural economies.





Alaska RCPP Projects

Existing RCPP Projects					
Year	Title	Funding Pool	Lead Partner	Number of Partners	NRCS Investment
2016	Innovative Tribal Conservation and GHG Management	National	Intertribal Agriculture Council	9	\$1.8 million
2014/2015	Hoonah Native Forest Lands Partnership	State	Sealaska Corporation (ANCSA Regional Corporation)	6	\$2 million
2014/2015	Implementing Education, Outreach, and Conservation Practices on Tribal Land for Socially Disadvantaged Producers and Alaska Tribal Conservation Districts	National	Tyonek Tribal Conservation District	3	\$1.6 million



Natural Resources Conservation Service